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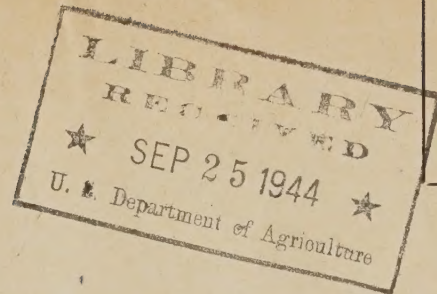
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# SHADE and ORNAMENTAL TREES



HAWTHORNE, PAUL'S SCARLET

**DOGWOOD**—Pink flowering, very dwarf tree; large clusters of pink blossoms, very showy. 30-36 in., \$3.00.

**DOGWOOD (White Flowering)**—An attractive small shade tree; very hardy; branches are a profusion of creamy white flowers every spring. 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

**FLOWERING CRAB (Bechtel's)**—One of the finest double, bright pink fragrant flowers. Slow growing. 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

**FLOWERING CRAB, CARMINE (Atrosanguinea)**—A very profuse bloomer. Graceful habit; carmine flowers; red branches. Prices: 4 to 5 ft., \$1.50.

**HAWTHORNE, PAUL'S SCARLET**—This is a beautiful, deep scarlet Hawthorne that grows to perfection in Western Washington. 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

**PRUNUS BLERIANA**—Small tree with purple tinted foliage, double pink flowers. The first in blossom every spring. Blossoms appear before foliage. Very showy. Semi-dwarf. 4-5 ft., \$1.25. See colored cut Page 5.

**PRUNUS TRILOBA**—Early, before the leaves appear, the slender branches of this little tree are solid festoons of glorious double pink rose-like flowers. Triloba is a sensation every spring. 4-5 ft., \$1.25.

**THUNDERCLOUD**—This and the Vesuvius have the most beautiful foliage of any of the flowering plums. The leaves appear a rich red color and gradually become darker, turning to a very rich purple. Large, shiny leaves. 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

**FLOWERING CHERRY, KWANZAN**—"Gateway to the Mountain". Probably the most common and best-known double. Flowers very large, up to 2 inches in diameter with about 30 large petals; deep rosy pink. Price: 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

## NOTICE

Owing to the acute shortage of roses for the 1944-1945 season we have decided to list our offerings only in the general Spring catalogue. If you fail to receive your copy in January, drop us a card and one will be mailed to you.



PINK FLOWERING DOGWOOD

# THE ARISTOCRATIC PEONY

Peonies are among the very few permanent flowering plants that lend themselves to early fall planting. Experience has shown that finest results are obtained at this time and where the rule of not placing more than 2 or 3 inches of soil over the lowest eye on the root cutting, is followed. Cultivate for best results.

**FELIX CROUSSE (Double)**—A brilliant dazzling ruby-red. Consists of a central bomb of incurved petals surrounded by broad, prominent guard petals. Late mid-season. Price: 75c.

**INSPECTEUR LAVERGNE (Double)**—A vivid, deep and glorious crimson. A large and showy flower, welcomed by all who see it. Mid-season. Price: \$1.00.

**BALL O' COTTON (Double)**—A pure white coming into bloom late mid-season. Perfect rose-type, pleasingly fragrant. Plant is of medium height, foliage good, stems strong. An excellent white usually found in winners. Price: 85c.

**FRANCES WILLARD (Double)**—A very fine white which we believe gives universal satisfaction. Opens an exquisite blush-white, occasionally with a carmine touch, changing to pure white. Usually found in winning classes, in every showroom. Mid-season. Price: \$1.00.

**MARTHA BULLOCH (Double)**—One of the greatest of all pink Peonies—bright rose-pink. The tall plant holds a cup-shaped rose-type flower that sometimes measures from 9 to 12 inches across. Strong stems. A constant prize winner. Mid-season. Price: \$1.25.

**MIGNON (Double)**—Exquisite, translucent shade of amber white, shading to delicate pink. Large, showy, reliable. Mid-season. Price: \$1.00.

**MYRTLE GENTRY (Double)**—A beautiful late pink that gradually fades to pure white. Perfect rose-form. Tints of flesh and salmon show throughout the petals. Strong plant; splendid appearance. Fragrance of a tea rose. Price: \$1.75.

**PHILLIPE RIVOIRE (Double)**—Very bright, rich crimson. Beautiful form and uniform soft rich coloring. Absolutely void of stamens. Pleasing fragrance. Highest rated of any red Peony. Late mid-season. Price: \$1.50.

**ELLA CHRISTIANSEN (Double)**—So distinct from other delicate pinks as to be a real acquisition. Exceedingly large; petals long, narrow, and heavily

serrated on edges. Opens cup-shaped, then flat. Irresistibly appealing. Receives the unbounded praise of every one who sees it. Price: \$1.25.

**CATHERINE S. FOX (Single)**—Delicately soft, appealing shade of rose. Slender stamens of gold, rising from the center of the bloom, lending more grace to an already graceful landscape flower. Holds well in sun or rain. Price: \$2.00.

**HELEN (Single)**—This is a very fine early deep shell pink. A double row of broad rounded petals surrounds a mass of golden stamens. Tall, strong, and erect stems. If you are looking for a good single pink, this variety will more than please you. Price: \$2.00.



PEONY, MARTHA BULLOCH

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Five beautiful varieties consisting of the following:

- AVALANCHE (white)
- ELLA CHRISTIANSEN (pink)
- MARTHA BULLOCH (dp. pink)
- FELIX CROUSSE (red)
- INSPECTEUR LAVERGNE (dp. red)

## "DE LUXE" COLLECTION

Five outstanding varieties as listed:

- FRANCES WILLARD (white)
- MIGNON (amber-white)
- MYRTLE GENTRY (pink)
- PHILLIPE RIVOIRE (red)
- HELEN (shell pink, single)

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# FRUIT TREES

NOTICE: We have been able to secure a good supply of fruit trees of excellent quality and recommend that early orders be placed, for delivery as soon as stocks are sufficiently matured to permit shipment. Orders will be filled in order of receipt in every case possible. ORDER EARLY while good stock is available as all nursery stock is very scarce for Fall-1944 and Spring-1945 planting. All fruit trees listed in order of ripening.

## APPLE

**\*YELLOW TRANSPARENT**—Earliest in list. A summer cooking apple. Yellow skin.

**GRAVENSTEIN**—Slightly earlier than King. Best apple for eating, sauce, or pie.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **RED GRAVENSTEIN**—Much the same as regular Gravenstein except red skin.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **KING**—Later than the Gravenstein. One of the best for baking and eating.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **WINTER BANANA**—Large, clear waxy yellow with blush, tart flavor, good cooking.

**ROME BEAUTY**—Large, yellow, striped with red, fine, juicy, unexcelled for baking.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **RED DELICIOUS**—Excellent eating apple for late fall and winter.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **YELLOW DELICIOUS**—Beautiful yellow color. Heavy croppers which bear the second year. Good pollinizer, one of the best apples, acid free.

## APRICOT

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **TILTON**—A large, fine fruit, slightly compressed. Firm, yellow and parts readily from the stone.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **PERFECTION**—Medium size, vigorous and hardy, even golden yellow. Keeps well, good shipper.

## CHERRIES, Sweet

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **CENTENNIAL**—Large, yellow, certified pollinizer.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **DEACON**—A fine pollinizer. Large, black and sweet.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **ROYAL ANNE**—Large, pale yellow with red cheek, firm, juicy and sweet. In demand by canneries.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **BING**—Fruit large, dark and sweet. Best for shipping or market.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **LAMBERT**—Large, dark purplish black, sweet, rich, fine flavor.

## CHERRY, Sour

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **MONTMORENCY**—Medium size, dark red, good quality. Trees small, self pollinizing. Best for canning or pies.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **LATE DUKE**—Large, dark red juicy fruit.



CHERRIES  
LARGE MONTMORENCY



VETERAN PEACH

## PEACH

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **GOLDEN JUBILEE**—Fine early freestone, that gives excellent results in the Northwest.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **VEDETTE**—Yellow roundish freestone, very early, hardy, and of high quality. One of the very best for Puget Sound area.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **VALIANT**—Large yellow-fleshed, high colored. Very hardy and productive.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **VETERAN**—Elberta-type peach. Tree vigorous grower, early production.

## PEAR

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **BARTLETT**—Large, clear yellow. Juicy, buttery dessert, cooking and canning.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **COMICE**—Splendid commercial variety of fine size. Good appearance, ships well. Fine eating.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **BUERRE BOSCH**—Large, cinnamon russet, long neck, juicy, excellent.

## PLUMS AND PRUNES

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **GREEN GAGE**—Medium round, tender skin, yellowish green. Separates freely from stone.

**\*SANTA ROSA**—Very large; deep purplish color, pale blue bloom. Yellow flesh. For shipping, equaled by few.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **YELLOW EGG**—Showy, and good for canning. Large, oval, deep golden, juicy, rather acid.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **DATE (Prune)**—Sweet, large, good annual and prolific bearer. Good dryer.

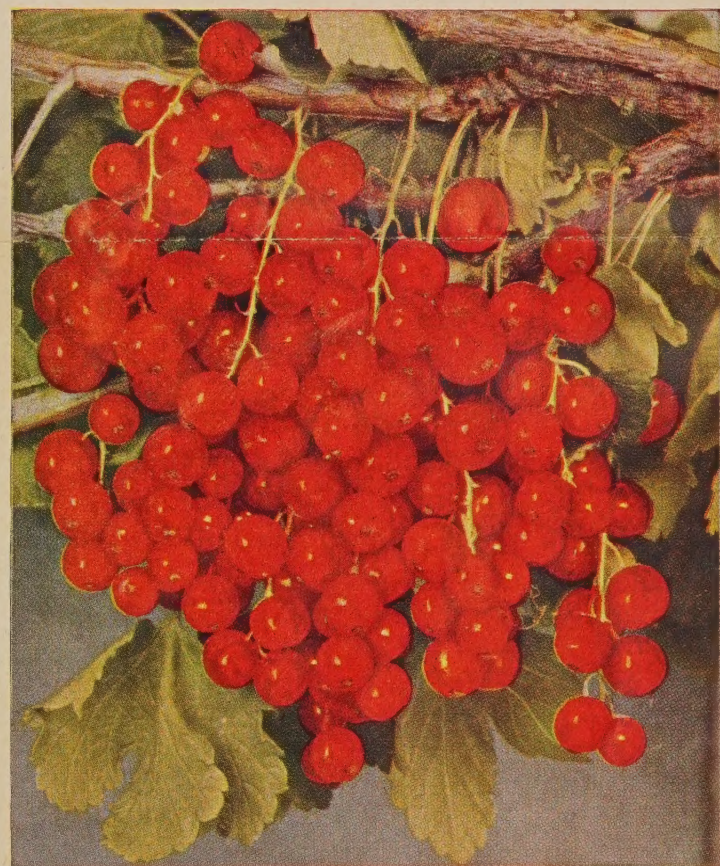
**SOLLYS CHOICE** **BRADSHAW**—Very large, dark violet red with good flavor.

**SOLLYS CHOICE** **ITALIAN PRUNE**—Medium, oval, blue in color, freestone. Good for drying or shipping.

## PRICE OF FRUIT TREES ON THIS PAGE

|                       |             |
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| SINGLE TREE.....      | \$1.25 each |
| 5 TREES OR OVER.....  | 1.10 each   |
| 10 TREES OR OVER..... | 1.00 each   |

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CURRENT

RED LAKE—See Page 4 for Description

## PLEASE NOTE

We urge all fruit tree owners to spray at least twice each year. With peach and plum trees this is almost a "must", for success. Below are listed best sprays available for this purpose. First spraying November-December.

### KLEENUP WINTER SPRAY

An emulsive Oil Spray for use against certain Scale Insects during dormant season. Use with Bordeaux Mixture against Peach Leaf Curl and Peach Blight.

16-oz. Bottle.....39c ½-gal. bottle.....85c 5 gallons.....\$4.95

### PEACH LEAF CURL SPRAY

Two sprayings are recommended; FALL—from October first until just before the leaves drop; SPRING—late February until leaf buds unfold.

HALF PINT (makes 3 gallons of spray).....\$ .60  
ONE QUART (makes 12 gallons of spray).....1.50

### BORDEAUX MIXTURE

1 lb.....35c 4 lbs......90c

Also ask for Free "ORTHO" Garden Spray Guide



# Be First in Your Community with a COMBINATION FRUIT TREE



## Three Kinds of Apples on One Tree!



The only fruit tree for the small home owner. No yard too small; can be planted in the front yard as well as the back yard. Will furnish plenty of shade, be highly ornamental, and will also produce a bountiful supply of three different kinds of Apples. Excellent selection of varieties—long season. At the time this folder goes to press, the Apple Combinations are not certain but will be selections from the following: Delicious, Gravenstein, Grimes Golden, King, Red Delicious, Red Gravenstein, Yellow Delicious, and Yellow Transparent. We will be glad to furnish you with the varieties that are available in November. Be sure to write at that time. Prices are:

2-way Combinations.....\$3.75  
3-way Combinations.....\$4.50

### 3-IN-1 CHERRY TREE

Have a Cherry Orchard in your back or front yard too!

BING—ROYAL ANN—LAMBERT

Price: Each.....\$4.50

### NUT TREES

Price: Each.....\$1.00

#### FILBERT

BARCELONA—Large, round, self-husking. One of the best.

DU CHILLY—Large, long nut of superior quality. A good commercial variety.

#### WALNUT

FRANQUETTE—Best for Western Washington.



### STRAWBERRY



These are five outstanding varieties for the home gardener.

NARCISSA—Extra early sweet sort. Non-acid. Medium size.

DORSET—New early heavy bearer. Berries large. Good shipper.

RED HEART—A popular canning and freezing sort. Holds its color best of any sort.

Prices on above—Narcissa, Dorsett and Red Heart: 12 for 50c; 25 for 90c; 50 for \$1.65; 100 for \$2.75.

MARSHALL—One of our best Western varieties and very popular wherever known. Blood-red variety.

12 for 45c; 25 for 85c; 50 for \$1.50; 100 for \$2.50.

ROCKHILL NO. 26—The best of the everbearing up to date. Very few runners. Excellent flavor. Large size. Heavy bearer.

12 for \$1.00; 25 for \$1.85; 50 for \$3.70; 100 for \$7.00.

### OLYMPIC BERRY



This is the finest of all the vine berries. Large fruit; few seeds; high quality. Flavor is outstanding. High in sugar and iron content.

Two plants for \$1.00 Postpaid.

(Grown only by Olympic Berry Farm, Vashon, Washington.)

### NECTARBERRY



This is one of the best of the new berries for freezing, for pies, jellies or jams. Berries large, sweet and fine flavored. One year, No. 1 tips.

Price: 2 for 45c; 6 for \$1.25.

### BOYSENBERRY

A blend of blackberry, loganberry and raspberry. Better than any of its parents. Berries are large and of fine flavor. Very hardy and a heavy bearer.

2 for 35c; 6 for \$1.00; 100 for \$12.50.

### LOGANBERRY

Well known, tart, red berry used for jams, jellies and pies. One-year, No. 1 tips.

2 for 35c; 6 for \$1.00; 100 for \$12.00.



FRUITS, PLUM, CHERRIES, PEAR, APPLE, RASPBERRIES



## PLANTS and BERRIES



### RASPBERRIES

NEW WASHINGTON—Best variety for preserves or canning. Round fruit like an improved and larger Cuthbert. Price: 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.25.

LLOYD GEORGE—The largest red raspberry grown. The fruit is fine quality and is borne in large clusters. It has few seeds. Price: 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.25.

INDIAN SUMMER (Everbearing)—This is by far the best of the everbearing Raspberries yet introduced. Of excellent quality and continuous bearing. Price: 10 for \$1.25; 25 for \$2.75.

### CURRANTS

RED LAKE—Finest of all red currants. Unusually large; superior quality. Light red, easy to pick. 50c each; \$4.00 for 10.

PERFECTION—Fine large red berry. Very productive. 2-year, each 35c; 12 for \$3.00.

### GOOSEBERRIES

OREGON CHAMPION — Berries medium size, round, greenish white, good quality. 2-year, each 35c; 12 for \$3.00.

### BLUEBERRIES

Very limited supply; orders accepted only as long as supply lasts. While blueberries are comparatively new and require acid soil and plenty of moisture as the berries are growing, they are becoming more and more in demand. This year we are offering Hybrid Seedlings only, as they are lower in price and are excellent producers. Two bushes are needed for best pollination.

#### PRICES DELIVERED

3-year (bearing) size.....2 for \$1.75, 5 for \$4.00  
2-year size.....2 for \$1.35, 5 for \$3.00

Be sure to include sales tax.



ROCKHILL STRAWBERRIES



# TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We have made every possible effort to secure an adequate supply of FIRST CLASS bulbs, berries, fruit trees, and other nursery stock to meet the ever-growing demand for this line of goods. Many items will be scarce until after the war. Like last year, the supply of many items will not meet the demand, and we urge you to place your order early, as delivery will be made in same order as received in so far as possible. Bulbs will be ready about October first. All other items listed will be filled only as we are sure they are properly matured and ready to ship—probably late November or early December, as the best time for most fruits and ornamentals is from November until March. If your order should be late, please allow us to substitute, where necessary. In all cases, an equally good variety, giving full value at all times, will be sent.

## GRAPES



**GOLDEN MUSCAT (amber)**—Fruits large, pale amber, sweet Muscat flavor. Price: 75c each; 5 for \$3.25; 10 for \$6.00.

**CACO (red)**—Exceptional merit, wine-red, compact bunch, good size, hardy, thrifty grower. Price: 60c each; 5 for \$2.50; 10 for \$4.50.

**ISLAND BELLE (dark blue)**—Large, early, good west of the Cascade mountains. Price: 50c each; 5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.50.

**CONCORD (purple)**—A popular variety. Fine for jelly, juice and jam. Price: 50c each; 5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.50.

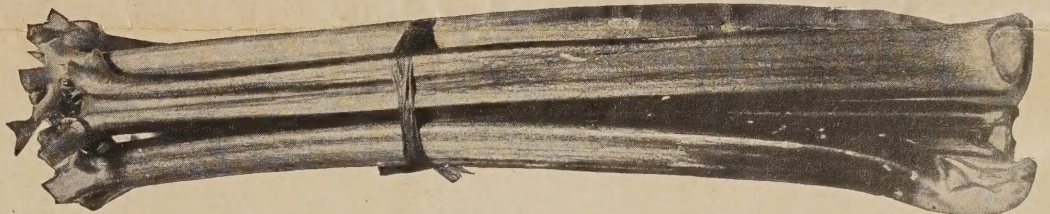
**NIAGARA (white)**—Large bunches of fruit. This standard white grape, called "White Concord". Price: 50c each; 5 for \$2.00; 10 for \$3.50.

## ASPARAGUS Roots

**GIANT (MARTHA) WASHINGTON**—Ahead of all others for size, vigor, tenderness, quality and rust-resistant. 2-year postpaid price: 25 for 90c; 50 for \$1.50; 100 for \$2.25.

## HORSERADISH Crowns

Grow your own horseradish. 4 Crowns for 45c; 12 for \$1.25.



## RHUBARB Cuttings

**MCDONALD'S SWEET**—A new rhubarb of very fine quality and brilliant red color. The skin is tender and peeling is not required. Unsurpassed for pies and sauce.

Prices: 2 cuttings for 85c; 6 for \$2.25.



CACO GRAPE

## ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

**FRENCH LILACS**—No flower held more dear to the American people. So much for so little—old-time fragrance, wide range of color, profusion of blooms, hardy. Make Lilac a "garden must" this year.

Mme. Lemoine—Double White.

Chas. Joly—Double Reddish-purple.

Prices: Large size plants, Each \$2.00.



LILACS



FLOWERING QUINCE

**FLOWERING PLUM, BLIRIANA**—See Shade and Ornamental tree section.

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FLOWERING PLUM  
(Prunus Bliriciana)

**FLOWERING QUINCE**—Very early in spring, this fine attractive shrub is completely covered with dazzling orange to scarlet flowers, followed by small fragrant, quince-shaped fruits. Foliage dark, glossy green. Very desirable for single specimens; also hedges. Grows 5 feet tall.

Price: 2-3 ft., Each \$1.25.







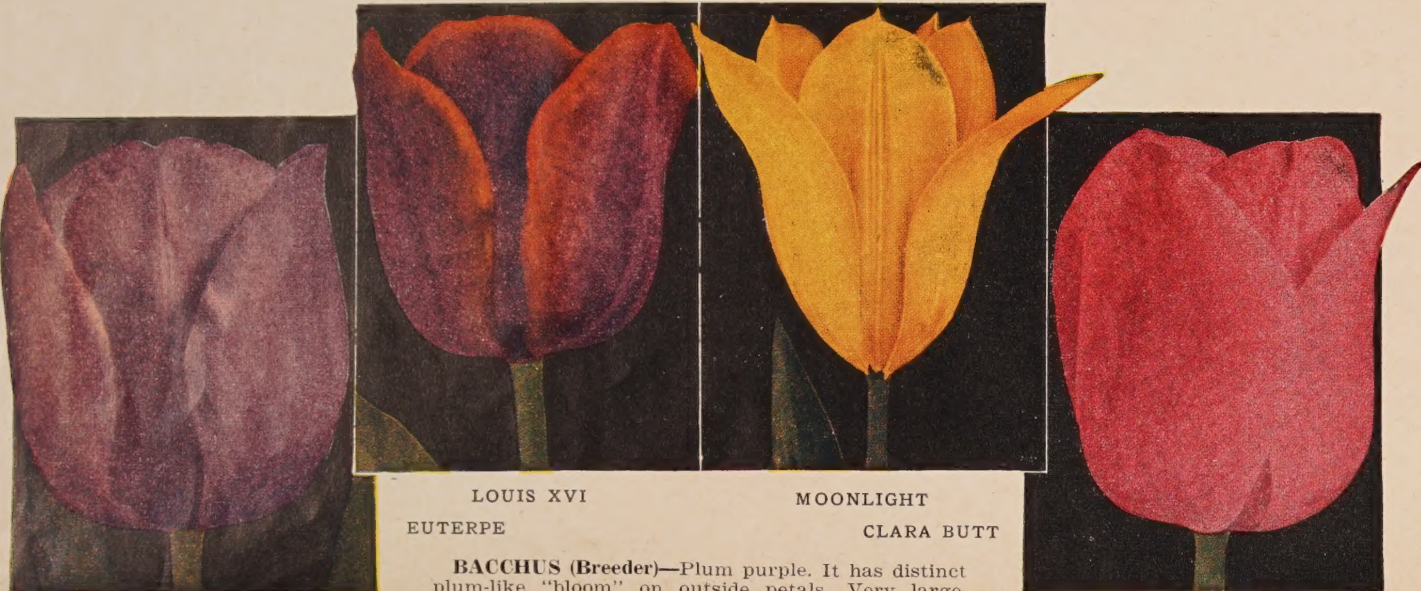
# PLANT TULIPS FOR GARDEN BEAUTY

We are offering this year only the highest grade American Grown Tulips and other bulbs. Owing to the great difficulty in securing an adequate supply we have selected only a few of the best known, both for color and type. Fantasy (see color cut on outside page) and Sundew are the most outstanding of the Parrot Tulips. All other bulbs offered are especially selected for this list. As supplies become available, other named sorts and varieties will be added to our list, but this must come with the end of the war, or when increased growing will not interfere with the war effort.

**FANTASY**—A sport of the Darwin Tulip, Clara Butt; exactly the same beautiful true pink, except that the inside color is even more intense—a delightful warm pink, thrilling to the eye of the Tulip-lover. The petals of this quaint flower are laciniated and the outside, or back, is artistically marbled with apple-green. Fantasy grows the same height as Clara Butt and blooms at the same time outdoors. Height 27 inches. 3 for 50c; doz. \$1.75.

**SUNDEW**—Bright red with white base. Unlike any other tulip, the edges of petals are fringed and notched. 3 for 45c; doz. \$1.60.

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LOUIS XVI  
EUTERPE  
MOONLIGHT  
CLARA BUTT

**BACCHUS (Breeder)**—Plum purple. It has distinct plum-like "bloom" on outside petals. Very large. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

**CENTENAIRE (Darwin)**—Clear rose, extra large and tall, holding its color well. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

**CITY OF HAARLEM (Darwin)**—Dark red with striking black and white center. 3 for 45c; doz. \$1.60.

**CLARA BUTT (Darwin)**—The standard pink Darwin. 3 for 30c; doz. \$1.00.

CITY OF HAARLEM  
CENTENNAIRE

**EUTERPE (Darwin)**—A fine lavender, selected as the best in form and tint. Especially good combined with pink. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

**MOONLIGHT (Cottage)**—One of the best of yellow tulips. Long pointed flower on stem that may always be cut full length since all leaf growth clusters at its base. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

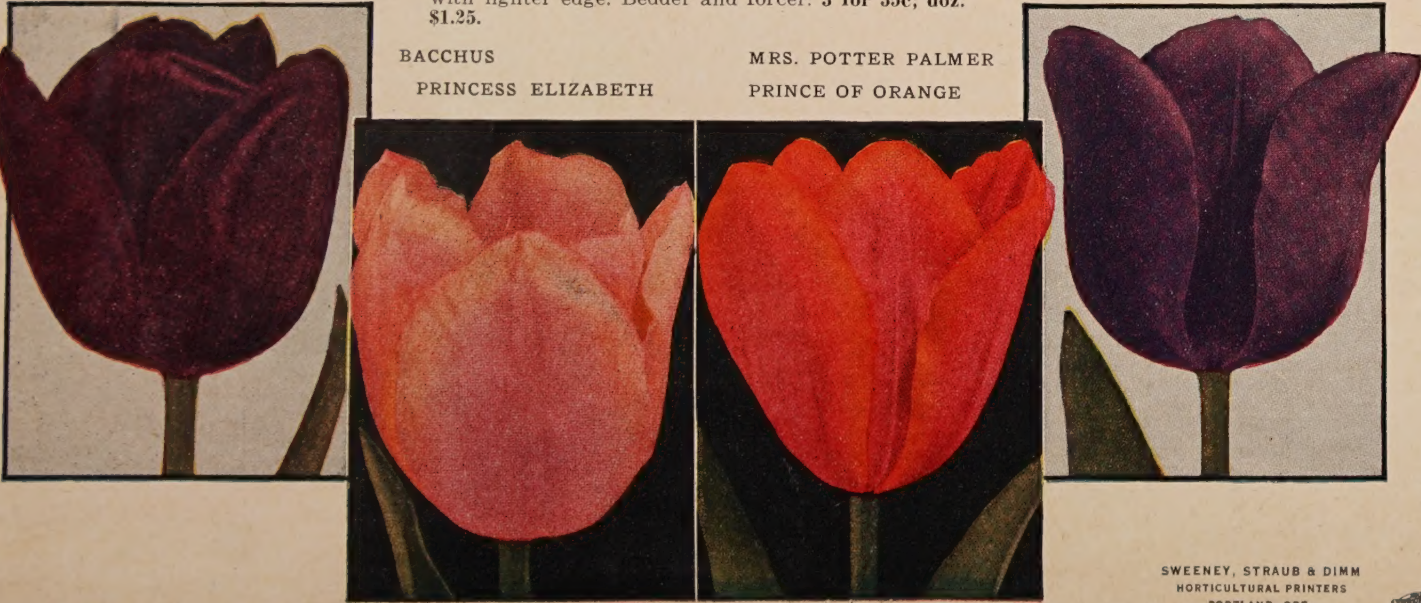
**LOUIS XIV (Breeder)**—Royal purple, with wide margin of golden bronze. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

**MRS. POTTER PALMER (Darwin)**—A vivid, lively purple. In good light a flame of ruby-amethyst. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

**PRINCE OF ORANGE (Breeder)**—Globular form. Color bronzy rose shadings to orange. Base bright gold or brown. It is late, a good keeper, and has rich wall-flower fragrance. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

**PRINCESS ELIZABETH (Darwin)**—Vivid pink with lighter edge. Bedder and forcer. 3 for 35c; doz. \$1.25.

BACCHUS  
PRINCESS ELIZABETH  
MRS. POTTER PALMER  
PRINCE OF ORANGE



TWINK



LOVENEST



CAMELLIA, PINK PERFECTION

## DAFFODILS

Daffodils are the first major flowers to bloom in the Spring. By nature they are informal flowers, and look best when grown in drifts, in the shrubbery or under trees. Their brilliant coloring lends gaiety to the lonely heart, beauty to your yard. They will thrive in any well-drained garden soil. Following, we offer you a very special list of excellent and qualified bulbs. Take advantage of this offer early as supply is limited and orders will be sent in order of receipt.

**LOVENEST**—The trumpet of saffron yellow turning apricot pink, giving a distinct pink tone to the flower, making a beautiful color blend entirely new to the daffodil race. Med. height. Very early. Price: 35c; 6 for \$1.90; Doz. \$3.60.

**MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE**—Perianth of ivory white, and long trumpet of apricot pink, changing to shell pink at the deeply fringed edge; exceptional substance; long lasting; early. Price: \$1.75; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00.

**TWINK**—It is double, of the semi-full type, the petals alternating a soft primrose and clear orange, free-flowering and hardy. Price: 3 for 60c; 6 for \$1.10; Doz. \$2.00.

**KING ALFRED**—"The King of Yellow Daffodils". Tall, vigorous, golden yellow flower, of elegant form. The expanded trumpet measures 2½ inches in diameter, the perianth proportionately large, and segments gracefully twisted. Height, 24 inches. Price: 3 for 35c; 6 for 65c; Doz. \$1.25.



KING ALFRED

**DICK WELLBAND (Incomparabilis)**—Very strong grower and very free-flowering. The perianth is pure white and the cup flame-orange. The color does not fade out but intensifies with age. One of the finest. Each \$1.00; 6 for \$5.50; Doz. \$10.00.

**THALIA**—An exquisite flower of unusually pleasant appearance; three to four pure white flowers on one stem. Often described as the "Orchid Narcissus". Thalia is sold to almost all flower lovers that see it in bloom. Ideal in every way, especially for corsages. Price: 3 for 65c; 6 for \$1.25; Doz. \$2.35.

## DUTCH IRIS MIXED

A splendid mixture of the showy hardy Dutch Iris. Includes a wide and carefully selected range of beautiful colors. Plant in a well-drained position. 3 for 22c; 12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.

**REGAL LILY**—A Gorgeous new Lily from the wilds of Tibet and western China, with alabaster trumpets tinged with rose outside and suffused with gold within. This is becoming one of the most popular of all white Lilies, and is one of the hardiest as well as most beautiful Lilies in cultivation. Plant the bulbs about 6 inches deep and leave them alone thereafter. June-July. Price: Each 20c; 3 for 55c; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.50.

*Be sure to include sales tax.*



DUTCH IRIS



REGAL LILY

## CAMELLIAS

Behold, the breathtaking loveliness, the waxen beauty of the Camellia! Delicate tints of translucent petals, perfect in form, and perfect in arrangement. Shining, clear green foliage to set off such unsurpassed beauty and perfection. Luxury in your garden.

**CAMELLIA PINK PERFECTION**—By far, one of the most popular. Exquisite formal type blossom with petals of shell pink neatly arranged. Natural height, 15 feet.

Price: \$2.50; \$3.00 and \$3.50, depending on size.

**CAMELLIA DOUBLE RED**—Covered in early Spring with beautiful double blooms of rich, lustrous red, a delight to the eye.

Price: \$2.50; \$3.00 and \$3.50, depending on size.

**CAMELLIA PURITY**—As true as its name. Elegance in large, double flowers of pure, ivory white.

Price: \$2.50; \$3.00 and \$3.50, depending on size.



# SHADE and ORNAMENTAL TREES



HAWTHORNE, PAUL'S SCARLET

**DOGWOOD**—Pink flowering, very dwarf tree; large clusters of pink blossoms, very showy. 30-36 in., \$3.00.

**DOGWOOD (White Flowering)**—An attractive small shade tree; very hardy; branches are a profusion of creamy white flowers every spring. 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

**FLOWERING CRAB (Bechtel's)**—One of the finest double, bright pink fragrant flowers. Slow growing. 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

**FLOWERING CRAB, CARMINE (Atrosanguinea)**—A very profuse bloomer. Graceful habit; carmine flowers; red branches. Prices: 4 to 5 ft., \$1.50.

**HAWTHORNE, PAUL'S SCARLET**—This is a beautiful, deep scarlet Hawthorne that grows to perfection in Western Washington. 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

**PRUNUS BLERIANA**—Small tree with purple tinted foliage, double pink flowers. The first in blossom every spring. Blossoms appear before foliage. Very showy. Semi-dwarf. 4-5 ft., \$1.25. See colored cut Page 5.

**PRUNUS TRILOBA**—Early, before the leaves appear, the slender branches of this little tree are solid festoons of glorious double pink rose-like flowers. Triloba is a sensation every spring. 4-5 ft., \$1.25.

**THUNDERCLOUD**—This and the Vesuvius have the most beautiful foliage of any of the flowering plums. The leaves appear a rich red color and gradually become darker, turning to a very rich purple. Large, shiny leaves. 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

**FLOWERING CHERRY, KWANZAN**—"Gateway to the Mountain". Probably the most common and best-known double. Flowers very large, up to 2 inches in diameter with about 30 large petals; deep rosy pink. Price: 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

## NOTICE

Owing to the acute shortage of roses for the 1944-1945 season we have decided to list our offerings only in the general Spring catalogue. If you fail to receive your copy in January, drop us a card and one will be mailed to you.



PINK FLOWERING DOGWOOD

# THE ARISTOCRATIC PEONY

Peonies are among the very few permanent flowering plants that lend themselves to early fall planting. Experience has shown that finest results are obtained at this time and where the rule of not placing more than 2 or 3 inches of soil over the lowest eye on the root cutting, is followed. Cultivate for best results.

**FELIX CROUSSE (Double)**—A brilliant dazzling ruby-red. Consists of a central bomb of incurved petals surrounded by broad, prominent guard petals. Late mid-season. Price: 75c.

**INSPECTEUR LAVERGNE (Double)**—A vivid, deep and glorious crimson. A large and showy flower, welcomed by all who see it. Mid-season. Price: \$1.00.

**BALL O' COTTON (Double)**—A pure white coming into bloom late mid-season. Perfect rose-type, pleasingly fragrant. Plant is of medium height, foliage good, stems strong. An excellent white usually found in winners. Price: 85c.

**FRANCES WILLARD (Double)**—A very fine white which we believe gives universal satisfaction. Opens an exquisite blush-white, occasionally with a carmine touch, changing to pure white. Usually found in winning classes, in every showroom. Mid-season. Price: \$1.00.

**MARTHA BULLOCH (Double)**—One of the greatest of all pink Peonies—bright rose-pink. The tall plant holds a cup-shaped rose-type flower that sometimes measures from 9 to 12 inches across. Strong stems. A constant prize winner. Mid-season. Price: \$1.25.

**MIGNON (Double)**—Exquisite, translucent shade of amber white, shading to delicate pink. Large, showy, reliable. Mid-season. Price: \$1.00.

**MYRTLE GENTRY (Double)**—A beautiful late pink that gradually fades to pure white. Perfect rose-form. Tints of flesh and salmon show throughout the petals. Strong plant; splendid appearance. Fragrance of a tea rose. Price: \$1.75.

**PHILLIPE RIVOIRE (Double)**—Very bright, rich crimson. Beautiful form and uniform soft rich coloring. Absolutely void of stamens. Pleasing fragrance. Highest rated of any red Peony. Late mid-season. Price: \$1.50.

**ELLA CHRISTIANSEN (Double)**—So distinct from other delicate pinks as to be a real acquisition. Exceedingly large; petals long, narrow, and heavily

serrated on edges. Opens cup-shaped, then flat. Irresistibly appealing. Receives the unbounded praise of every one who sees it. Price: \$1.25.

**CATHERINE S. FOX (Single)**—Delicately soft, appealing shade of rose. Slender stamens of gold, rising from the center of the bloom, lending more grace to an already graceful landscape flower. Holds well in sun or rain. Price: \$2.00.

**HELEN (Single)**—This is a very fine early deep shell pink. A double row of broad rounded petals surrounds a mass of golden stamens. Tall, strong, and erect stems. If you are looking for a good single pink, this variety will more than please you. Price: \$2.00.



PEONY, MARTHA BULLOCH

## "BEAUTY" COLLECTION

*Special to You!*

**\$5.15 value for \$4.15**

Five beautiful varieties consisting of the following:

AVALANCHE (white)

ELLA CHRISTIANSEN (pink)

MARTHA BULLOCH (dp. pink)

FELIX CROUSSE (red)

INSPECTEUR LAVERGNE (dp. red)

## "DE LUXE" COLLECTION

Five outstanding varieties as listed:

FRANCES WILLARD (white)

MIGNON (amber-white)

MYRTLE GENTRY (pink)

PHILLIPE RIVOIRE (red)

HELEN (shell pink, single)

**\$7.25 value for \$6.00**

Should you care for one of each of the above listed exquisite and aristocratic PEONIES, we offer you a SUPER-SPECIAL collection of all eleven varieties, valued at \$14.35 for this

**VERY SPECIAL PRICE**

**\$10.50!**

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# LAWN GRASS SEED

## GRASS MIXTURES

**SOILY'S SUPER-BLEND (Cecil Solly's Formula)**—A Creeping Bent-Fescue Blend. This is the finest quality blend of fine turf grasses including Creeping Bent and Fescue in correct proportions. 1 lb. \$1.00; 10 lbs. or more, 90c lb.

**SMOOTH TURF (Cecil Solly's Formula)**—A carefully blended mixture of all fine-leaved, deep-rooted grasses which will make an even, thick, smooth turf of rich, dark green. 1 lb. 70c; 10 lbs. or more, 65c lb.

**PUGET SOUND BLEND (Contains Clover)**—This is our well-tested formula that will make a green, velvety lawn in a shorter time than anything else we have tested. It is the highest quality blend for the price anywhere. 1 lb. 50c; 10 lbs. or more, 45c lb.

**TOUGH TURF (Cecil Solly's Formula)**—A carefully blended formula of hard-wearing, deep-rooted grasses that are especially suited to the backyard or any place that gets much traffic or wear. Being inexpensive in price, it may be sown thickly and will form a rapid, heavy turf. 1 lb. 40c; 10 lbs. or more, 35c lb.

**CHEWING'S FESCUE**—Makes a fine mat-like sod. Especially good mixed with other grasses and for dry, sandy soils. Lb. \$1.00.

**PACEY'S PERENNIAL RYE GRASS**—Will produce a quick, bright green lawn. Very resistant to hard wear. Lb. 40c.

**SUPERFINE DWARF WHITE DUTCH CLOVER**—This is the low-growing white clover for lawns which is often mixed with grasses where desired. Lb. \$1.25.

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## GARDEN COMPOST MAKER

For only a few cents per hundred pounds, you can make your own fertilizer. Use old weeds, lawn clippings, or any other vegetable refuse with **Compost Maker** and you can have high grade humus containing nitrogen, potash, phosphorous and all the other elements necessary to build up your soil and supply the necessary fertilization.

Miller's Compost Maker sells as follows:

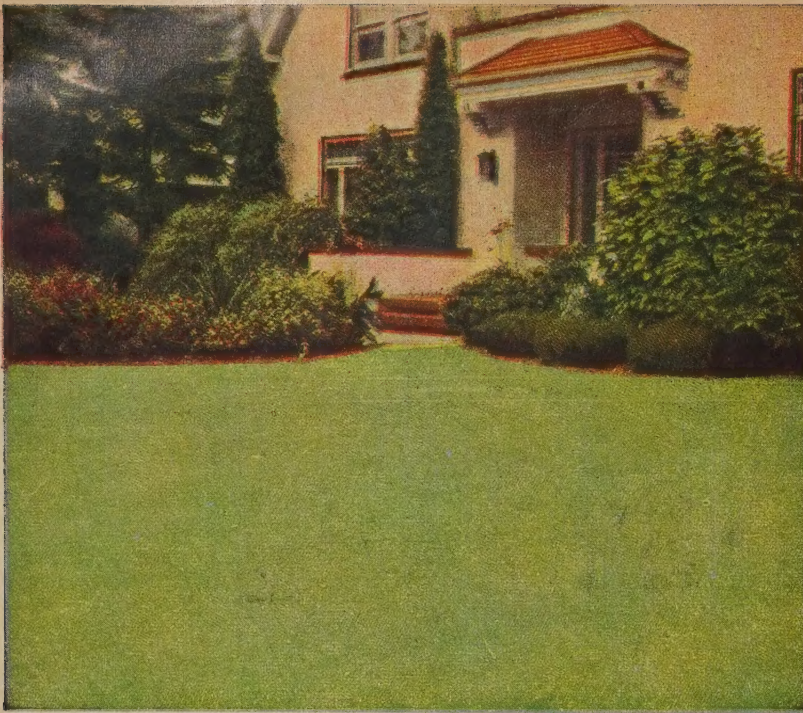
5-lb. Pkg. (enough for average city lot) 79c; 25-lb. Pkg. \$2.50; 50-lb. Pkg. \$4.50.

## PLANT LABEL OFFER

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| One Weatherproof Marking Pencil.....           | 15c |
| Twenty-four 10-inch Painted Garden Labels..... | 35c |
| Fifty 3½-inch Painted Tree Labels.....         | 35c |

**One Weatherproof Pencil and Either Label Offer for 40c, or All Three for 70c.**

(NOTE: Any item may be ordered singly.)



A "SOILY'S SUPER BLEND" LAWN

## NAMED GRASSES FOR TURF

While we strongly advise the use of our grass mixtures for best results in lawn-making, we can supply highly cleaned seed of the following:

**CREEPING BENT**—The perfect turf grass for well-kept lawns. Sow a pound or two over the established lawn each spring. Lb. \$1.00.

**FANCY RED TOP**—Rapid and aggressive creeping grass for all conditions. Extra clean, heavy seed. Lb. 45c.

**KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS**—The "backbone" of most fine lawn grass mixtures. Keeps its color all season. Fine Grade Seed. (21-lb. bushel.) Lb. 50c. Extra Clean, Heavy Seed. (24-lb. bushel.) Lb. 55c.

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